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In re patent application of

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For: METHODS OF TREATING A CONDITION BY STIMULATION OR INHIBITION OF EPITHELIAL CELL GROWTH USING KERATINOCYTE GROWTH FACTOR

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith.

\underline{X} First Month	\$110(\$ 55)*
X Second Month	\$270(\$135)*
X Third Month	\$490(\$245)*
Fourth Month	\$490 (\$245)*
Fifth Month	\$490 (\$245)*

^{*(}Small Entity)TOTAL FEE: \$870.00

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A check in the amount of the above Total Fee is attached. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If one or more (additional) extension(s) of time is/are required for the filing of this paper, such extension(s) is/are hereby expressly petitioned for and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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